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In re application of: Jean-Michel Georges et al.

Entitled: A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A THERMOSTRUCTURAL COMPOSITE MATERIAL BOWL, IN PARTICULAR FOR AN INSTALLATION THAT PRODUCES SILICON SINGLE CRYSTALS

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) per §1.17(e).

Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_ per §1.116.

[X] A Petition for Extension of Time for 3 months is hereby made under §1.136(a); however a Request for Simonths of the Time was previously authorized on March 18, 2004. A check in the amount of \$530.00 is enclosed for the cost of the differential amount of time (\$950-420 = \$530.00).

[X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

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[X] Other: Notice of Appeal including authorization to charge Notice of Appeal Fee (\$330.00) to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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				\$396.00
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